HOUSE BILL 2259

By Turner M

AN ACT to amend Tennessee Code Annotated, Title 41 and Title 55, relative to inmates released from the department of correction.

BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF TENNESSEE:

SECTION 1. Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 41-21-219, is amended by designating the existing language as subsection (a) and adding the following language as a new subsection (b):

(b) Each inmate housed at a department of correction institution who is discharged at the expiration of sentence shall, at the discretion of the commissioner, be provided an identification card valid for not more than one (1) year from the date of issuance.

SECTION 2. This act shall take effect upon becoming a law, the public welfare requiring it.